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Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): RECORDING MEDIUM PLAYBACK METHOD AND APPARATUS

By (Inventors): Akio TANABE; Naoto ARIFUKU

- 28 pages of Specification is attached.
- Drawings (9 sheets) is attached.
- A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- An assignment of the invention to PIONEER CORPORATION is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.
- Notification of Change of Name and Address
- A certified copy of Japanese Application(s) No.(s) 2000-004836, dated January 13, 2000 is attached

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x 9 =	
x 40 =	
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LARGE ENTITY	
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TOTAL	\$ 710

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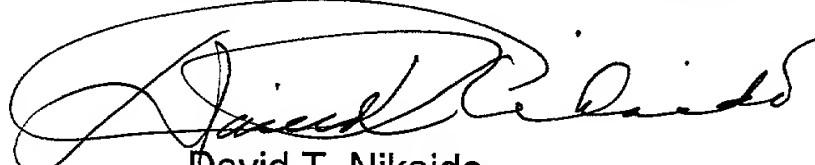
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